

1-1 By: Keffer (Senate Sponsor - Duncan) H.B. No. 1237
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 22, 2013;
1-3 April 22, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on
1-4 Intergovernmental Relations; May 10, 2013, reported favorably by
1-5 the following vote: Yeas 5, Nays 0; May 10, 2013, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-7 Hinojosa	X			
1-8 Nichols	X			
1-9 Garcia	X			
1-10 Paxton	X			
1-11 Taylor	X			

1-13 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-14 AN ACT

1-15 relating to the Eastland Memorial Hospital District.
1-16 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
1-17 SECTION 1. Sections 1023.004 and 1023.052, Special District
1-18 Local Laws Code, are amended to read as follows:
1-19 Sec. 1023.004. DISTRICT TERRITORY. The district is
1-20 composed of the territory described by Section 1.03, Chapter 221,
1-21 Acts of the 71st Legislature, Regular Session, 1989, unless the
1-22 boundaries of the district are expanded under Subchapter H or other
1-23 applicable law.
1-24 Sec. 1023.052. NOTICE OF ELECTION. Notice [~~Not earlier than~~
1-25 ~~30 days or later than 10 days before the date~~] of an election of
1-26 directors[~~, notice of the election~~] shall be published in
1-27 accordance with Section 4.003, Election Code, [one time] in a
1-28 newspaper with general circulation in the district.
1-29 SECTION 2. Chapter 1023, Special District Local Laws Code,
1-30 is amended by adding Subchapter H to read as follows:
1-31 SUBCHAPTER H. EXPANSION OF DISTRICT TERRITORY
1-32 Sec. 1023.401. EXPANSION OF DISTRICT TERRITORY. (a) The
1-33 district may expand its territory in the manner provided by Section
1-34 286.101, Health and Safety Code, for the expansion of the territory
1-35 of a hospital district created under Chapter 286, Health and Safety
1-36 Code.
1-37 (b) The board shall hold an election under this section on
1-38 the first uniform election date that allows the board sufficient
1-39 time to comply with applicable requirements of law.
1-40 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-41 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-42 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-43 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-44 Act takes effect September 1, 2013.

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